

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

**National Youth in Care Network  
Application Form for Board of Directors**

Thank you for your interest in serving as a NYICN Board Member. Please complete the following application and return it to the chair of the nominations committee.

Applications are considered annually. We recommend that all applicants attend at least one NYICN event or meeting prior to applying to be on the board.

In addition to your application, the nominating committee may request an interview with you at a mutually convenient time.

After you have read the attached National Youth in Care Network Call for Applicants to the Board of Directors Description, please answer the following questions and return with your resume and two reference letters (one from an adult and one from a youth) to:

NOMINATIONS COMMITTEE CHAIR  
NATIONAL YOUTH IN CARE NETWORK  
332-207 Bank Street  
OTTAWA, ONTARIO  
K2P 2N2

If you have any questions, please contact the NYICN.

Name	
Date of Birth	
Email Address	
Home Address	
City	
Province	
Postal Code	

Applicant Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number	
Alternate Phone Number (or another contact person)	
Fax Number	
Are you a member of the NYICN? For how long?	
Please describe your involvement with National Youth In Care Network programs and events.	
Please describe your involvement with youth in care programs and events in your community or province.	
Please describe any other community activities you've been involved in.	

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List any other connections you have and/or service as a community leader that would benefit you in your role as a board member.

Describe any experience you have had on committees or boards.

What special qualities and/or expertise would you bring to the position?

What are you most proud of in your life and why?

Why do you want to serve on the board and what do you hope to achieve through your leadership experience?

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If you are selected as a Board member, do you agree to serve on the Board for 2 years?	
Place an X before those topics that interest you and that you are knowledgeable of:	
	Local youth in care networks (development and support)
	The child welfare system and your rights
	Transitioning out of care
	Educating social workers and foster parents on youth in care needs
	Youth in care who become parents
	Institutional abuse
	Healing
	Team leadership
	Public speaking and media
	Training youth in care
Have you also included the following application requirements:	
	Your resume
	At least two reference letters -one from an adult - one from a youth you've worked with

Office Use Only:		
Application Complete	_____ Yes	_____ No
Confirmation Letter Mailed	_____ Yes	_____ No
NYICN Member	_____ Yes	_____ No